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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Daisuke Kuroda et al.

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For: ZOOM LENS AND IMAGING APPARATUS

Examiner: J. R. Greece

STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Madam:

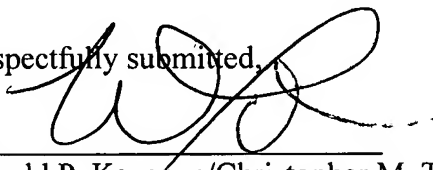
It is respectfully requested that the representative named below be advised of the status of the above-identified application. Please advise us of when we might expect to receive a response to our Amendment in Response to Non-Final Office Action filed October 3, 2008.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 18-0013, under Order No. SON-2908 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Dated: January 6, 2009

Respectfully submitted,

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